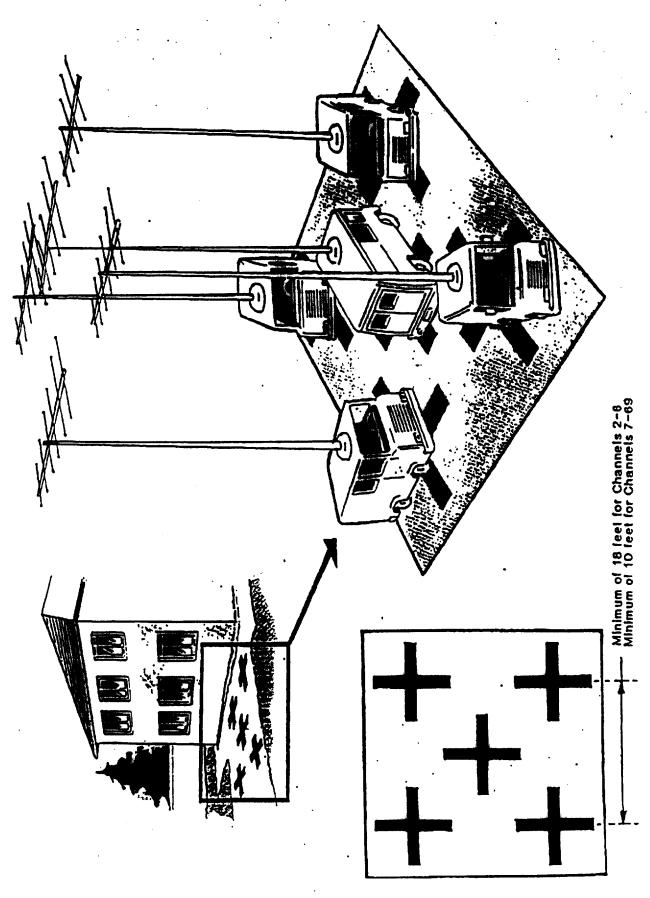
Figure 2



TELEVISION FIELD STRENGTH MEASUREMENT WORKSHEET										
This worksheet was prepared to assist in the measurement of an over-the-air television station's field strength in response to the Satellite Home Viewer Act of 1994.										
Station Call, Channel and City of License										
Date of measurements Local time of measurements										
Description of location or addre	-			•		•				
Weather during measurements										
					Transmission Line					
I II	cturer Manufacturer			Type						
Model Number	del Number Model Number				Length of line					
Serial Number	Number Gain at Measured Channel				چىا <u></u>					
Description of present television receiving antenna at household (if known)										
Additional comments										
CLUSTER MEASUREMENTS PROCEDURE										
Location 1 <sup>1</sup> dB(t	A) Connect the batun to the antenna located atop the measurement vehicle     B) Connect the 75 ohm RG-59/U cable between the batun and the field strength meter									
Location 2 dB(uV)		C) Confirm that no obstacles such as power lines are overhead								
Location 3 dB(uV)		D) Elevate the antenna five feet above the household's roof peak; if not practical, elevate antenna 30 feet above ground level								
Location 4 dB(uV)		Orient the antenna for a maximum signal strength     After calibrating the mater if necessary, record the field strength the location								
Location 5 dB(uV)		G) Collapse the elevated anienna								
							Core Loss	n Francis Table		
Cluster Median <sup>2</sup>	dB(uV)		62	21	34.0	14-17	8.7	64	\$1.7 \$4.1	
Cable Loss <sup>3</sup> +		4	39	2.3	34.5	22-26	64	67	\$4.4	
		5	2.3	2.5 2.6	37,7 36.4	26-29	8.9	70	\$19	
Antenna Gain		7	6.2	30	44.9	34-36 39-43	9.6	72	86.5 86.1	
Frequency Factor 4		•	77	3.9	454	44-48	104	76	95.5	
Field Strength Factor	31.5 dB	11	5.2 50	40	460	49.53 \$4-64	10.5	7.0	57.2	
Corrected Field Strength	dBu	13	42	4,2	46.5	\$0-C3 64-69	11.1 11.1	80 81	57.6 \$7.9	
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## **EXHIBIT B**

Excerpts from the transcript and exhibits from the trial testimony of Jules Cohen, CBS, Inc., et al. v. PrimeTime 24 Joint Venture, Civil Action No. 96-3650-CIV-NESBITT (S.D. Fla.).

## UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT

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## MIAMI DIVISION

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PRIMETIME 24 JOINT VENTURE, . ET AL.,

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UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE.

VOLUME 2

PROCEEDINGS RECORDED BY MECHANICAL STENOGRAPHY, TRANSCRIPT PRODUCED BY COMPUTER.

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THE COURT: 347 THROUGH 350. ALL RIGHT.
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             (PLAINTIFFS' EXHIBIT NUMBERS 347 THROUGH 350 WERE
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   ADMITTED INTO EVIDENCE.)
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             THE COURT: MR. COHEN, DO YOU HAVE A GLASS OF
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   WATER THERE?
             THE WITNESS: YES, I DO. THANK YOU.
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             THE COURT: ALL RIGHT.
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             MR. SCHWARTZ: THANK YOU, YOUR HONOR.
 8
             THE COURT: GO AHEAD, MR. SCHWARTZ.
9
             MR. SCHWARTZ: THANK YOU VERY MUCH.
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                       CROSS EXAMINATION
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12 BY MR. SCHWARTZ:
13 Q. GOOD AFTERNOON, MR. COHEN.
14 A. GOOD AFTERNOON, MR. SCHWARTZ.
        YOU HAVE BEEN A BROADCAST TELEVISION ENGINEER FOR OVER
15 Q.
16 45 YEARS, CORRECT?
    A. YES, SIR.
17
    Q. AND YOU HAVE BEEN A BROADCAST TELEVISION ENGINEER FOR
18 l
19
    JUST ABOUT AS LONG AS THERE HAS BEEN BROADCAST TELEVISION,
20 | CORRECT?
21
    A. ALMOST.
    Q. AND IT'S FAIR TO SAY YOU WERE THERE AS A BROADCAST
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23
    TELEVISION ENGINEER AT THE DAWN OF THE BROADCAST TELEVISION
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ERA.

A. MAJOR ERA, YES.

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- 1 Q. SEE ANYTHING IN THIS DOCUMENT THAT SUGGESTS IT'S A
- 2 COMPROMISE ON ITS FACE?
- 3 A. NO. I'M BASING THAT ON MY PERSONAL KNOWLEDGE OF HAVING
- 4 PARTICIPATED IN DISCUSSIONS WITH COHEN, DU TREIL & RACKLEY,
- 5 AND ALSO IN SEEING CERTAIN MEMORANDA FROM YOUNG DU TREIL.
- 6 Q. "YOUNG DU TREIL" BEING ROBERT DU TREIL, JUNIOR, IS THAT
- 7 CORRECT?
- 8 A. YES.
- 9 Q. ALL RIGHT. LET'S TAKE A LOOK AT THIS SATELLITE HOME
- 10 VIEWER ACT T.V. SIGNAL METHODOLOGY THAT'S BEING SPONSORED BY
- 11 THE DU TREIL FIRM HERE IN EXHIBIT 649. DO YOU SEE THE FIRST
- 12 SENTENCE OF THE TEXT THAT SAYS, "THE FIELD STRENGTH TEST
- 13 PROCEDURE OUTLINED BELOW IS IN RESPONSE TO THE SATELLITE
- 14 HOME VIEWER ACT TO ENABLE THE DETERMINATION OF A, QUOTE,
- 15 UNSERVED HOUSEHOLD, " END QUOTE?
- 16 A. YES, I SEE THAT.
- 17 Q. ALL RIGHT. AND LET ME DIRECT YOUR ATTENTION TO PAGE
- 18 TWO OF THIS DU TREIL DOCUMENT. THE FIRST PARAGRAPH STARTS
- 19 BY SAYING, "THE FIELD STRENGTH MEASUREMENT PROCEDURE TO BE
- 20 USED IS SIMILAR TO THE, QUOTE, 'CLUSTER,' END QUOTE,
- 21 PROCEDURE OUTLINED IN SECTION 73.686(B)(2)(VIII) OF THE
- 22 F.C.C. RULES"?
- 23 A. I SEE THAT.
- 24 Q. NOW, WITH THE POSSIBLE EXCEPTION OF THE WORK THAT
- 25 MR. CANNALIATO DID FOR YOU IN MISSOULA, NOBODY ACTING UNDER

- 1 YOUR SUPERVISION, AS YOU SAY, USED AN APPROACH SIMILAR TO
- 2 THE CLUSTER PROCEDURE IN THIS CASE, IS THAT CORRECT?
- 3 A. THAT IS CORRECT. THE CLUSTER PROCEDURE IS A SECONDARY
- 4 PROCEDURE WHEN THE 100-FOOT RUNS ARE NOT TO BE MADE.
- 5 Q. AND LET'S TAKE A LOOK HERE AT -- OH, BY THE WAY, IS
- 6 THERE ANYTHING IN THIS DOCUMENT THAT REFLECTED A VIEW ON THE
- 7 PART OF THE DU TREIL FIRM WHICH YOU FIND GENERALLY RELIABLE
- 8 THAT THE CLUSTER PROCEDURE IS IN SOME WAY SECONDARY?
- 9 A. IF YOU GO TO THE F.C.C. RULES 73.686, THEN THERE IS
- 10 WHERE YOU FIND THAT IT'S A SECONDARY PROCEDURE.
- 11 Q. BUT MY QUESTION TO YOU IS DO YOU SEE ANYPLACE WHERE
- 12 DU TREIL IS MAKING REFERENCE TO SOMETHING AS BEING SECONDARY
- 13 IN THIS DOCUMENT THAT'S BEFORE YOU?
- 14 A. WELL, THEY DON'T ACKNOWLEDGE IT BECAUSE THEY ARE
- 15 PROPOSING THAT THE SIMPLER PROCEDURE BE USED.
- 16 O. SO I TAKE IT THAT'S A NO?
- 17 A. WELL, IT'S NO BECAUSE I CAN -- WELL, I'LL LET THAT GO.
- 18 NO.
- 19 O. THANK YOU.
- 20 AND YOU SEE THERE THERE IS A REFERENCE TO REQUIRED
- 21 TEST EQUIPMENT ON THE SAME PAGE?
- 22 A. YES, SIR.
- 23 Q. AND THE DU TREIL FIRM SAYS, "THE FOLLOWING EQUIPMENT IS
- 24 RECOMMENDED FOR THE MEASUREMENT PROCEDURE, " CORRECT?
- 25 A. CORRECT.

1 Q. AND THE FIRST BULLET SAYS:

"A VEHICLE WITH A TELESCOPING MAST OR SOME
OTHER MEANS OF ELEVATING THE RECEIVING ANTENNA TO
BE FIVE FEET ABOVE THE HIGHEST POINT OF THE HOME'S
ROOFTOP LEVEL."

DO YOU SEE THAT?

7 A. I SEE IT.

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- 8 Q. YOUR PEOPLE DIDN'T DO THAT IN THIS CASE, DID THEY?
- 9 A. NO, SIR.
- 10 Q. AND IT GOES ON TO SAY:
- "IF THE ROOF HEIGHT IS BEYOND THE MAXIMUM

  HEIGHT OF THE MAST, ELEVATION OF THE ANTENNA TO 30

  FEET ABOVE GROUND LEVEL IS ACCEPTABLE."
- 14 DO YOU SEE THAT?
- 15 A. YES, SIR.
- 16 Q. SO IT'S FAIR TO SAY THAT WHAT THE DU TREIL FIRM IS
- 17 | SAYING HERE IS ONLY IF THE ROOF HEIGHT IS HIGHER THAN THE
- 18 MAXIMUM HEIGHT TO WHICH IT CAN RAISE THE ANTENNA DO YOU
- 19 DEFAULT TO A 30-FOOT ANTENNA HEIGHT FOR MEASUREMENT
- 20 PURPOSES, CORRECT?
- 21 A. THAT'S WHAT THEY ARE SAYING.
- 22 O. AND IF YOU'LL TURN THE PAGE TO PAGE THREE OF THE
- 23 DU TREIL RECOMMENDED SATELLITE HOME VIEWER ACT TESTING
- 24 METHODOLOGY, YOU WILL SEE A SECTION HEADED "PROCEDURE,"
- 25 | CORRECT?

- 1 A. YES, SIR.
- 2 O. AND IT SAYS:
- THE PURPOSE OF THE PROCEDURES SET FORTH
- 4 BELOW IS TO INDEPENDENTLY REPLICATE THE RECEIVING
- 5 ENVIRONMENT ATOP THE HOUSEHOLD ROOF."
- 6 DO YOU SEE THAT?
- 7 A. I SEE IT.
- 8 O. AND IF YOU'RE GOING TO DO SATELLITE HOME VIEWER ACT
- 9 ELIGIBILITY TESTING, IT MAKES SENSE, DOES IT NOT, TO TRY TO
- 10 REPLICATE THE RECEIVING ENVIRONMENT ATOP THE HOUSEHOLD ROOF,
- 11 | CORRECT?
- 12 A. IT'S IMPORTANT TO REPLICATE THE ENVIRONMENT IN THE
- 13 VICINITY, YES.
- 14 O. WELL, I'M NOT ASKING YOU ABOUT THE VICINITY. THE
- 15 DU TREIL FIRM SAID THE PURPOSE OF THE PROCEDURE IS TO
- 16 INDEPENDENTLY REPLICATE THE RECEIVING ENVIRONMENT ATOP THE
- 17 HOUSEHOLD ROOF, CORRECT?
- 18 A. THAT IS WHAT IS SAID HERE. I AM APPLYING MY OWN
- 19 ENGINEERING INTERPRETATION OF THIS BECAUSE IN DOING THE
- 20 CLUSTER MEASUREMENT, THEY ARE NOT AT THE POSITION OF THE
- 21 HOUSEHOLD ANTENNA, ASSUMING THERE IS A HOUSEHOLD ANTENNA
- 22 THERE.
- 23 Q. WELL, WE WILL GET TO THAT IN JUST A SECOND, SIR. BUT
- 24 AS A GENERAL PROPOSITION, WOULDN'T YOU AGREE WITH THE
- 25 DU TREIL FIRM THAT IT'S A GOOD IDEA TO TRY TO REPLICATE THE

- RECEIVING ENVIRONMENT ATOP THE HOUSEHOLD ROOF?
- 2 A. THE RECEIVING ENVIRONMENT IN THE VICINITY OF THE
- 3 HOUSEHOLD ROOF.
- THE COURT: MR. COHEN, ANSWER WHAT MR. DU TREIL
- 5 SAID, AND THEN YOU HAVE YOUR OPINION, I KNOW, BUT THE
- 6 QUESTION, ISN'T THAT WHAT HE SAID.
- 7 THE WITNESS: YES, YOUR HONOR, THAT IS WHAT HE
- 8 SAID.
- 9 BY MR. SCHWARTZ:
- 10 Q. AND THE STATUTE TALKS ABOUT THE ABILITY TO RECEIVE A
- 11 CERTAIN SIGNAL WITH A CONVENTIONAL ROOFTOP ANTENNA, CORRECT?
- 12 A. YES, SIR.
- 13 Q. AND GIVEN THAT STATUTORY LANGUAGE, DOESN'T IT MAKE
- 14 SENSE TO TRY TO INDEPENDENTLY REPLICATE THE RECEIVING
- 15 ENVIRONMENT ATOP THE HOUSEHOLD ROOF?
- 16 A. TO THE EXTENT THAT'S FEASIBLE.
- 17 Q. THAT'S THE BEST PLACE TO TEST OR INDEPENDENTLY
- 18 REPLICATE, ISN'T IT?
- 19 A. WELL, THAT WOULD REQUIRE REPLACING THE HOUSEHOLD
- 20 ANTENNA WITH ANOTHER ANTENNA THAT WOULD BE SUITABLE FOR
- 21 MAKING THE MEASUREMENT. AND THE DU TREIL FIRM IS NOT
- 22 RECOMMENDING THAT THAT BE DONE --
- 23 Q. NO, THEY ARE -- I'M SORRY, DID I INTERRUPT?
- 24 A. YES, YOU DID.
- 25 Q. PLEASE GO AHEAD. MY APOLOGIES.

- 1 A. THEY ARE RECOMMENDING THAT MEASUREMENTS BE MADE IN THE
- 2 VICINITY OF THE HOUSEHOLD.
- 3 Q. NOW, I COULD BE WRONG, BUT DO YOU SEE IN THIS SECTION
- 4 WE'RE TALKING ABOUT ANY DISCUSSION ABOUT THE VICINITY OF THE
- 5 HOUSEHOLD? ISN'T THIS PARAGRAPH ON PROCEDURE?
- 6 A. IN THE ENTIRE CONTEXT OF THIS PROCEDURE, YES, IT IS.
- 7 LOOK AT THE DIAGRAM, FOR INSTANCE, WHICH IS PAGE
- 8 EIGHT OF THE -- FIGURE TWO, PAGE EIGHT OF THE STATEMENT.
- 9 AND IT SHOWS A SITUATION WHERE THE FIVE MEASUREMENTS ARE TO
- 10 BE MADE ALONGSIDE THE HOUSE. THE DIAGRAM DOESN'T SHOW A
- 11 ROOFTOP ANTENNA OF ANY KIND. WE DON'T KNOW WHERE THE
- 12 ANTENNA IS.
- 13 Q. WELL, WE'LL GET TO THE DIAGRAMS AND WHERE THE ANTENNA
- 14 IS IN A SECOND. I JUST WANT TO HAVE A GENERAL UNDERSTANDING
- 15 AS TO SORT OF A CONCEPTUAL APPROACH.
- 16 DU TREIL IS SAYING TRY TO REPLICATE THE RECEIVING
- 17 ENVIRONMENT ATOP THE HOUSEHOLD ROOF. ARE YOU HAVING TROUBLE
- 18 ACCEPTING THAT'S A GOOD IDEA?
- 19 A. NO, NO, THAT'S WHAT MR. DU TREIL SAYS. IT'S A MATTER
- 20 OF THE IMPLEMENTATION AND THAT DETERMINATION WHERE I GET
- 21 INTO TROUBLE.
- 22 Q. WELL, WE WILL GET INTO IMPLEMENTATION MOMENTARILY. BUT
- 23 AS AN APPROACH, AS A GOAL, IT'S A GOOD IDEA TO INDEPENDENTLY
- 24 REPLICATE THE RECEIVING ENVIRONMENT ATOP THE HOUSEHOLD ROOF,
- 25 ISN'T IT?

- 1 A. I'LL ACCEPT THAT.
- 2 0. THANK YOU.
- 3 OKAY. NOW, DU TREIL GOES ON TO EXPLAIN IN THE
- 4 BALANCE OF THAT PARAGRAPH AND THE FOLLOWING PARAGRAPH HOW TO
- 5 GO ABOUT REPLICATING THE RECEIVING ENVIRONMENT ATOP A
- 6 HOUSEHOLD ROOF. FIRST OF ALL, HE SAYS, "A SET OF FIVE
- 7 INDIVIDUAL MEASUREMENTS SHALL BE MADE AT EACH SATELLITE
- 8 HOME, " RIGHT?
- 9 A. YES, SIR.
- 10 Q. AND A LOCATION SHOULD BE CHOSEN AS CLOSE TO THE
- 11 HOUSEHOLD AS POSSIBLE, CORRECT?
- 12 A. YES.
- 13 O. AND THE MEASUREMENT AREA, SUCH AS THE HOME'S DRIVEWAY,
- 14 SHOULD BE LARGE ENOUGH TO PERMIT A CLUSTER OF FIVE
- 15 MEASUREMENTS, CORRECT?
- 16 A. THAT'S RIGHT.
- 17 O. AND YOU CAN'T GET MUCH CLOSER TO A HOME IN MOST CASES
- 18 | THAN ITS DRIVEWAY, CORRECT?
- 19 A. THAT'S THE USUAL CASE.
- 20 Q. AND IF WE MIGHT JUST COMPARE WHAT YOUR PEOPLE OR THOSE
- 21 YOU SAY YOU SUPERVISED DID IN THIS CASE, THEY DIDN'T GO INTO
- 22 ANYBODY'S DRIVEWAY, CORRECT?
- 23 A. THAT IS CORRECT, THEY DID NOT USE DRIVEWAYS.
- 24 Q. AND, AGAIN, THE NEXT PARAGRAPH TALKS ABOUT RAISING A
- 25 RECEIVING ANTENNA AGAIN TO FIVE FEET ABOVE THE HIGHEST POINT

- 1 OF THE HOUSEHOLD'S ROOF, CORRECT?
- 2 A. YES.
- 3 Q. NOW, IN YOUR EXPERIENCE OVER ALL THESE DECADES AS A
- 4 BROADCAST TELEVISION ENGINEER, IT'S REASONABLE FOR THE
- 5 DU TREIL FIRM TO ASSUME THAT A ROOFTOP ANTENNA WILL BE
- 6 APPROXIMATELY FIVE FEET ABOVE THE HIGHEST POINT OF A
- 7 HOUSEHOLDS ROOF, CORRECT?
- 8 A. YOU'RE -- WELL, IT'S OFTEN MORE THAN THAT, BUT THAT WAS
- 9 THEIR ASSUMPTION.
- 10 Q. AND THAT'S A REASONABLE ASSUMPTION, ISN'T IT?
- 11 A. I THINK IT'S -- I WOULD SELECT A FIGURE LIKE EIGHT FEET
- 12 AS BEING MORE COMMON THAN FIVE FEET ABOVE THE ROOF, BUT
- 13 THAT'S A QUIBBLE.
- 14 Q. -I'M SORRY, I DIDN'T HEAR THE LAST PART.
- 15 A. I SAID THAT IS A QUIBBLE.
- 16 Q. AND YOU DON'T WANT TO QUIBBLE WITH DU TREIL, DO YOU?
- 17 A. I DON'T CHOOSE TO, NO.
- 18 Q. NOW, LET'S TURN TO THE FIRST DIAGRAM THAT APPEARS IN
- 19 HERE IN THE DU TREIL SUGGESTED TESTING METHODOLOGY INCLUDED
- 20 WITHIN EXHIBIT 649. AND DO YOU SEE THAT TRUCK PARKED IN THE
- 21 DRIVEWAY AS CLOSE TO THAT HOUSE AS YOU CAN GET?
- 22 A. I DO.
- 23 Q. AND --
- 24 A. IT'S AN INTERESTING DRIVEWAY -- IT DOESN'T GO ANYWHERE.
- 25 Q. AND DO YOU SEE THE ANTENNA THERE BEING DEPICTED AS

- 1 BEING RAISED TO A HEIGHT FIVE FEET ABOVE THE HIGHEST POINT
- 2 OF THE HOUSEHOLD'S ROOF?
- 3 A. YES, SIR.
- 4 Q. BY THE WAY, IT MAY NOT BE --
- 5 THE COURT: GO AHEAD.
- 6 BY MR. SCHWARTZ:
- 7 Q. I WAS GOING TO SAY IT MAY NOT BE STRICTLY WITHIN THE
- 8 SCOPE OF YOUR EXPERTISE, BUT THEN AGAIN, IT MAY BE, ARE YOU
- 9 FAMILIAR WITH THE HEIGHTS OF RESIDENTIAL DWELLINGS IN THE
- 10 UNITED STATES?
- 11 A. DO YOU MEAN IN THE SENSE THAT I HAVE SOME KIND OF A
- 12 STATISTICAL ANALYSIS OF THE HEIGHTS OF DWELLINGS?
- 13 Q. WELL, IF YOU HAVE ONE, THAT'S GREAT. BUT IF YOU DON'T,
- 14 MORE GENERALLY.
- 15 A. NO. I HAVE LIVED IN THE UNITED STATES FOR A GOOD MANY
- 16 YEARS AND MY OBSERVATION IS THEY RANGE WIDELY.
- 17 Q. AND IF THE HEIGHT OF DWELLINGS IN THE UNITED STATES
- 18 RANGE WILDLY (SIC), THEN HEIGHTS FIVE FEET ABOVE THOSE
- 19 MAXIMUM ROOF LENGTHS ARE GOING TO ALSO RANGE WILDLY, RIGHT?
- 20 A. THAT'S CORRECT.
- 21 Q. AND YOU CAN HAVE SINGLE-FAMILY HOMES THAT ARE ONE STORY
- 22 IN HEIGHT, CORRECT?
- 23 A. YES.
- 24 Q. OR THREE STORIES IN HEIGHT?
- 25 A. YES, OR MORE.

- 1 Q. IN EACH OF THOSE INSTANCES, THE ACTUAL ANTENNA HEIGHT,
- 2 ASSUMING IT'S GOING TO BE FIVE FEET OR EIGHT FEET ABOVE THE
- 3 MAXIMUM HEIGHT OF THE ROOF, IS GOING TO BE DIFFERENT,
- 4 CORRECT?
- 5 A. CORRECT.
- 6 Q. AND YOU'D AGREE WITH ME THAT THE DU TREIL FIRM IN
- 7 EXHIBIT 649 IS TRYING TO ACCOUNT FOR THE VARIABILITY OF ROOF
- 8 HEIGHTS IN THE UNITED STATES, CORRECT?
- 9 A. UP TO, UP TO THE POINT WHERE THE ROOF HEIGHT PLUS FIVE
- 10 FEET IS MORE THAN 30 FEET.
- 11 Q. RIGHT. THEN THEY GO DOWN TO 30 FEET, RIGHT?
- 12 A. CORRECT.
- 13 O. SO IF I UNDERSTAND CORRECTLY, THE HIGHEST THE DU TREIL
- 14 FIRM -IS GOING TO MEASURE AT IS 30 FEET, RIGHT?
- 15 A. THAT'S THE PROPOSAL.
- 16 Q. AND IT'S GOING TO EITHER BE 30 FEET OR LOWER?
- 17 A. CORRECT.
- 18 Q. AND IN YOUR RECOMMENDED PROCEDURE, YOU ALWAYS GO TO 30
- 19 FEET, CORRECT?
- 20 A. THAT'S RIGHT, PURSUANT TO THE F.C.C. PROCEDURE.
- 21 Q. NOW, WHEN YOU SAY "PURSUANT TO THE F.C.C. PROCEDURES,"
- 22 YOU KNOW AS WELL AS I DO, DON'T YOU, THAT THOSE F.C.C.
- 23 PROCEDURES WERE NOT DEVELOPED WITH THE SATELLITE HOME VIEWER
- 24 ACT IN MIND, RIGHT?
- 25 A. THERE WAS NO SATELLITE HOME VIEWING ACT AT THE TIME

- THAT WAS ADOPTED.
- 2 Q. PRECISELY. AND WE DON'T HAVE TO QUARREL ABOUT THAT OR
- 3 QUIBBLE ABOUT IT, DO WE?
- 4 A. I HOPE NOT.
- 5 Q. AND LET'S TAKE A LOOK NOW AT THE OTHER DIAGRAM THAT YOU
- 6 HAD DIRECTED MY ATTENTION TO, WHICH IS, I GUESS, FIGURE 2 TO
- 7 THIS DU TREIL SUGGESTED TESTING METHODOLOGY. THERE THE
- 8 DU TREIL FIRM IS ADAPTING THE F.C.C. CLUSTER PROCEDURE TO
- 9 MEASUREMENTS IN THE VICINITY OF A DRIVEWAY, CORRECT?
- 10 A. YES, THAT'S CORRECT.
- MR. SCHWARTZ: AND JUST SO THE COURT IS FOLLOWING.
- 12 WE'VE GOT THE SECOND DIAGRAM, YOUR HONOR, THAT LOOKS
- 13 SOMETHING LIKE THIS (INDICATING).
- 14 THE COURT: YES.
- THE WITNESS: EXCEPT FOR THE HEIGHT OF THE
- 16 ANTENNA.
- 17 BY MR. SCHWARTZ:
- 18 Q. WELL, WHEN YOU SAY "EXCEPT FOR THE HEIGHT OF THE
- 19 ANTENNA, " YOU'RE CLINGING TO THE F.C.C. 30-FOOT HEIGHT,
- 20 CORRECT?
- 21 A. CORRECT.
- 22 Q. ALL RIGHT. WE'LL TALK ABOUT THAT A LITTLE LATER.
- 23 BUT JUST BEFORE WE LEAVE THE POINT, RECOGNIZING AS
- 24 YOU DO THAT THE F.C.C. PROCEDURES WERE DEVELOPED FOR THE
- 25 PURPOSES UNRELATED TO THE SATELLITE HOME VIEWER ACT, THAT

- 1 30-FOOT HEIGHT, TO THE EXTENT IT'S PART OF ANY F.C.C.
- 2 PROTOCOL FOR TESTING, WAS NOT GEARED TO SATELLITE HOME
- 3 VIEWER ACT ELIGIBILITY DETERMINATIONS AT PARTICULAR HOUSES.
- 4 RIGHT?
- 5 A. NO, IT WAS DESIGNED TO MAKE SURE THAT THERE WAS A
- 6 UNIFORM PROCEDURE FOR TAKING FIELD STRENGTH MEASUREMENTS.
- 7 Q. AND THOSE UNIFORM PROCEDURES WERE DEVELOPED IN WHAT
- 8 DECADE?
- 9 A. UNIFORM PROCEDURES ADOPTION OF THIS SECTION OF THE RULE
- 10 WAS, I BELIEVE, EITHER IN THE 1960'S OR '70'S, I CAN'T
- 11 REMEMBER WHICH.
- 12 Q. WELL, BEFORE THE ADVENT OF SATELLITE TELEVISION
- 13 TECHNOLOGY, CORRECT?
- 14 A. YES, SIR.
- 15 Q. AND THE PURPOSE OF THE F.C.C. TESTING PROCEDURE THAT
- 16 FROM TIME TO TIME YOU'VE REFERRED TO AS STANDARDIZED, SET
- 17 FORTH IN 73.686, WAS TO ENABLE PEOPLE IN THE INDUSTRY TO
- 18 MAKE PREDICTIONS ABOUT AREA COVERAGE, CORRECT?
- 19 A. NOT PREDICTIONS; DETERMINATION OF THE FIELD STRENGTH
- 20 THAT PARTICULAR LOCATIONS, WHICH IN COMBINATION, COULD
- 21 PRODUCE PREDICTIONS AS TO AREAS.
- 22 Q. AND THE PRINCIPAL PURPOSE OF THOSE F.C.C. TESTING
- 23 METHODOLOGIES IS FOR AREA COVERAGE DETERMINATIONS, CORRECT?
- 24 A. THE -- THAT'S NOT ENTIRELY TRUE. WHAT THE COMMISSION
- 25 WAS PARTICULARLY SANCTIONING WERE MEASUREMENTS TO DETERMINE

- 1 MAKE AN AREA PREDICTION, CORRECT?
- 2 A. YOU KNOW, LET'S CALL THOSE FIELD INTENSITY CONTOURS.
- 3 THEY ARE NOT PROPAGATION CONTOURS, THEY ARE FIELD INTENSITY
- 4 CONTOURS. AND THEY ARE DETERMINED BY THE -- BY CALCULATING
- 5 THE FIELD INTENSITY ALONG A NUMBER OF LINES. THEN A
- 6 DRAFTSMAN OR A COMPUTER PROGRAM DOES SOME KIND OF AN
- 7 AVERAGING BETWEEN THE LINES TO CONNECT THE POINTS.
- 8 Q. AND WHEN ALL IS SAID AND DONE, YOU VERY OFTEN GET A
- 9 PAIR OF CONCENTRIC CIRCLES, CORRECT?
- 10 A. OR SOMETHING CLOSE TO CONCENTRIC, YES.
- 11 Q. AND WHAT THOSE CONCENTRIC CIRCLES DEPICT, LET'S TALK
- 12 ABOUT THAT FOR A SECOND. LET'S TALK ABOUT THE OUTER CIRCLE,
- 13 THE SO-CALLED F.C.C. PREDICTED GRADE B CONTOUR. WHAT THAT
- 14 DEPICTS IS AN AREA AT THE OUTER BOUNDS OF WHICH 50 PERCENT
- 15 OF THE TELEVISION RECEIVING HOUSEHOLDS ARE GOING TO GET A
- 16 SIGNAL OF A CERTAIN INTENSITY 50 PERCENT OF THE TIME,
- 17 CORRECT?
- 18 A. THIS -- NOT IN AREA. IT DEFINES A LINE WHICH FORMS THE
- 19 OUTER BOUNDARY OF THE LOCATION WHERE YOU WOULD EXPECT THE
- 20 GRADE B FIELD INTENSITY TO BE EXCEEDED LESS THAN 50 PERCENT
- 21 LOCATIONS 50 PERCENT OF THE TIME.
- 22 Q. AND SO IF YOU JUST HYPOTHETICALLY SITUATED A HOUSE
- 23 RIGHT ON THE GRADE B CONTOUR LINE, THE F.C.C. PREDICTED
- 24 GRADE B CONTOUR DRAWN, BASED ON THOSE TESTING METHODOLOGIES
- 25 WE JUST DISCUSSED, WOULD PREDICT THAT THAT HOUSE HAS A 50

- 1 PERCENT CHANCE OF GETTING A GRADE B SIGNAL 50 PERCENT OF THE
- 2 TIME, CORRECT?
- 3 A. THAT IS CORRECT.
- 4 Q. AND LET'S TALK ABOUT WHAT THAT MEANS FOR JUST A SECOND
- 5 TO A REAL WORLD TELEVISION VIEWER.
- 6 IF YOU LIVE IN THAT HOUSE ON THE CONTOUR, FIRSTLY,
- 7 YOU HAVE A ONE IN TWO CHANCE THAT YOU'RE GOING TO GET THAT
- 8 GRADE B SIGNAL HALF THE TIME, RIGHT?
- 9 A. THAT'S CORRECT.
- 10 Q. AND LET'S TALK ABOUT THE HOUSEHOLD THAT GETS -- IT'S
- 11 ONE OF THE TWO THAT GETS THE GRADE B SIGNAL, ALL RIGHT?
- 12 NOW, IT GETS IT 50 PERCENT OF THE TIME, RIGHT?
- 13 A. THE SIGNAL IS EXCEEDED 50 PERCENT OF THE TIME, YES.
- 14 Q. IT'S EITHER AT OR EXCEEDED 50 PERCENT OF THE TIME,
- 15 RIGHT?
- 16 A. THAT'S CORRECT.
- 17 Q. AND THE OTHER 50 PERCENT OF THE TIME IT'S EITHER AT THE
- 18 LEVEL OR LOWER, CORRECT?
- 19 A. THAT IS CORRECT.
- 20 Q. SO THAT MEANS FOR 12 HOURS A DAY, ONE OF THOSE
- 21 TELEVISION VIEWING HOUSEHOLDS OUT OF TWO ON THE GRADE B
- 22 CONTOUR LINE DOESN'T GET A GRADE B SIGNAL, RIGHT?
- 23 A. THAT IS CORRECT.
- 24 Q. AND WHEN THE GRADE B SIGNAL VALUE WAS FIRST DEVISED BY
- 25 THE F.C.C., THAT WAS BACK IN THE EARLY 1950'S, RIGHT?

- 1 A. YES.
- 2 Q. AND THE PURPOSE OF IT WAS TO DETERMINE A VALUE THAT
- 3 WOULD TRANSLATE INTO AN ACCEPTABLE QUALITY PICTURE, CORRECT?
- 4 A. THAT'S RIGHT. YOU GET ACCEPTABLE QUALITY PICTURE
- 5 ACTUALLY 90 PERCENT OF THE TIME.
- 6 Q. UM-HUM. AND MR. OLSON ASKED YOU YESTERDAY, I REMEMBER,
- 7 IF THE COURTROOM WAS TOO HOT OR TOO COLD OR ACCEPTABLE?
- 8 REMEMBER THAT?
- 9 A. YES.
- 10 Q. AND THEN HE ASKED YOU IF ACCEPTABLE WAS OBJECTIVE OR
- 11 SUBJECTIVE, RIGHT?
- 12 A. YES, SIR.
- 13 Q. AND I THINK YOU SAID IT WAS A SUBJECTIVE, AM I CORRECT?
- 14 A. -YES, SIR.
- 15 Q. BUT THE GRADE B STANDARD WAS DRAWN BACK IN THE EARLY
- 16 1950'S, BASED ON THAT VERY WORD, "ACCEPTABLE," CORRECT?
- 17 A. YES, SIR.
- 18 Q. NOW, I WANT TO GO BACK TO MY HYPOTHETICAL HOUSE ON THE
- 19 CONTOUR WHO FOR 12 HOURS A DAY DOESN'T GET A SIGNAL OF GRADE
- 20 B INTENSITY. SO FOR HALF THE DAY, THAT PERSON GETS LESS
- 21 THAN WHAT THE F.C.C. SAID WOULD LEAD TO AN ACCEPTABLE
- 22 PICTURE, CORRECT?
- 23 A. THAT'S NOT QUITE TRUE, BECAUSE BUILT INTO THE GRADE B
- 24 FIELD INTENSITY IS AN ADDITIONAL TIME FACTOR THAT RAISES THE
- 25 TIME VARIABILITY 90 PERCENT, INSOFAR AS THE ACCEPTABLE

- 1 PICTURE IS CONCERNED.
- 2 O. SO WHAT YOU'RE SAYING IS THERE'S A MARGIN OF ERROR
- 3 BUILT IN TO THE NUMBER OF MICRO VOLTS PER METER ASSOCIATED
- 4 WITH THE VARIOUS GRADE B LEVELS, IS THAT CORRECT?
- 5 A. YES, SIR.
- 6 Q. AND THIS MAY SEEM CONFUSING TO THE UNINITIATED, BUT IF
- 7 I UNDERSTAND WHAT YOU'RE SAYING CORRECTLY, EVEN THOUGH THE
- 8 GRADE B CONTOUR MAP TELLS YOU THAT 50 PERCENT OF THE HOUSES
- 9 ARE GOING TO GET A GRADE B SIGNAL 50 PERCENT OF THE TIME,
- 10 WHAT IT REALLY MEANS IN REAL WORLD TERMS TO A TELEVISION
- 11 VIEWER IS THAT 50 PERCENT OF THE PEOPLE ARE GOING TO GET AN
- 12 ACCEPTABLE PICTURE 90 PERCENT OF THE TIME, RIGHT?
- 13 A. THAT IS CORRECT, IF THEY ARE USING EQUIPMENT WHICH IS
- 14 AS THE COMMISSION CONSIDERED IN THEIR PLANNING FACTORS.
- 15 0. BACK IN 1951.
- 16 A. WHEN THE CONTOURS WERE -- WHEN THE LEVELS WERE
- 17 ESTABLISHED, YES.
- 18 Q. AND MORE THAN 45 YEARS AGO, CORRECT?
- 19 A. CORRECT, OF COURSE.
- 20 Q. AND IF YOU GET AN ACCEPTABLE PICTURE 90 PERCENT OF THE
- 21 TIME, IF YOU'RE ONE OF THE LUCKY ONES ON THE CONTOUR, THE
- 22 ONE OUT OF TWO THAT GETS IT, THAT MEANS THAT TEN PERCENT OF
- 23 THE TIME YOU DON'T GET AN ACCEPTABLE PICTURE, RIGHT?
- 24 A. THAT IS, YES, THAT IS.
- 25 Q. AND IN ANY 24 HOURS, THAT MEANS FOR APPROXIMATELY 2.4

- 1 HOURS A DAY, YOU CAN'T SEE A PICTURE THAT'S ACCEPTABLE,
- 2 RIGHT?
- 3 A. YOU SEE A PICTURE, BUT IT MAY NOT BE AN ACCEPTABLE
- 4 | PICTURE.
- 5 O. WELL, BY DEFINITION, MY HYPOTHESIS, IT WOULDN'T BE
- 6 ACCEPTABLE, RIGHT?
- 7 A. WE ALWAYS HAVE TO GO BACK TO WHAT I SAID BEFORE. THE
- 8 EQUIPMENT THAT THE HOUSE OWNER'S USING WOULD HAVE TO BE NO
- 9 BETTER THAN WHAT HAS BEEN ASSUMED BY THE COMMISSION IN ITS
- 10 PLANNING FACTORS IN DERIVING THE LEVEL FOR THE GRADE B FIELD
- 11 INTENSITY CONTOUR.
- 12 O. THAT'S RIGHT. AND LET'S JUST KEEP THAT AS A CONSTANT
- 13 FACTOR SO WE UNDERSTAND EACH OTHER. 2.4 HOURS A DAY YOU
- 14 CAN'T WATCH T.V. IF YOU'RE ONE OF THE LUCKY ONES, RIGHT?
- 15 A. WELL, THAT'S AN EXTREME WAY OF PUTTING IT. YOU CAN
- 16 WATCH T.V., BUT IT'S NOT A PICTURE THAT YOU WOULD LIKE TO
- 17 WATCH ALL THE TIME.
- 18 Q. SO YOU HAVE AN UNACCEPTABLE PICTURE 2.4 HOURS A DAY IF
- 19 YOU'RE ONE OF THE LUCKY ONES ON THE CONTOUR, ONE OF THE
- 20 LUCKY ONE OF THE TWO, RIGHT?
- 21 A. YES.
- 22 O. AND SO YOU HAD A SITUATION IF YOU WANT TO JUST TALK
- 23 ABOUT 2.4 HOURS, RIGHT SMACK IN THE MIDDLE OF PRIME TIME
- 24 TELEVISION VIEWING HOURS, BETWEEN SEVEN AND 10 O'CLOCK AT
- 25 NIGHT ON THE WEAK DAY, YOU MIGHT GET WIPED OUT FOR 2 HOURS

- 1 | AND 24 MINUTES, RIGHT?
- 2 A. NOT LIKELY, BECAUSE THAT'S NOT THE TIME OF THE DAY YOU
- 3 WOULD EXPECT THE WEAKEST SIGNAL.
- 4 Q. AND WHAT TIME OF DAY WOULD YOU EXPECT THE WEAKER
- 5 SIGNAL?
- 6 A. YOU WOULD EXPECT THE WEAKER SIGNAL AROUND NOONTIME.
- 7 Q. ALL RIGHT. SO YOU'VE GOT NUMBER OF PEOPLE WATCHING
- 8 TELEVISION BETWEEN NOON AND TWO O'CLOCK, TWO HOURS AND 24
- 9 MINUTES OF UNACCEPTABLE PICTURE IF YOU ARE ONE OF THE LUCKY
- 10 ONES, CORRECT?
- 11 A. SITTING RIGHT AT THE EDGE OF THE GRADE B CONTOUR, YES.
- 12 Q. NOW, WHEN THE CONGRESS PASSED THE SATELLITE HOME VIEWER
- 13 ACT AS YOU WOULD INTERPRET IT, AND AS YOU HAVE IN DOING THE
- 14 VARIOUS WORK YOU HAVE DONE AND ALL THESE VARIOUS LITIGATIONS
- 15 AGAINST PRIMETIME 24, IT MADE REFERENCE TO A SIGNAL OF GRADE
- 16 B INTENSITY AS DEFINED BY THE FEDERAL COMMUNICATIONS
- 17 | COMMISSION, RIGHT?
- 18 A. YES.
- 19 O. AND YOU'VE INTERPRETED THAT FOR A LOW BAND V.H.F.
- 20 STATION AS BEING 47 D.B.U., RIGHT?
- 21 A. YES, SIR.
- 22 Q. THERE'S NO PLACE IN THE STATUTE THAT SAYS HOW MANY
- 23 HOURS A DAY IT'S NECESSARY TO GET THAT 47 D.B.U., CORRECT?
- 24 A. I'M SURE THAT'S CORRECT, YES.
- MR. SCHWARTZ: YOUR HONOR, AT THIS POINT I'M GOING

- 1 TO MOVE THE ADMISSION OF DEFENDANTS' EXHIBIT 649, WHICH
- 2 CONTAINS THIS DU TREIL SATELLITE HOME VIEWER ACT T.V. SIGNAL
- 3 MEASUREMENT METHODOLOGY DOCUMENT THAT WE HAVE BEEN
- 4 DISCUSSING WITH MR. COHEN.
- 5 MR. OLSON: OBJECTION, YOUR HONOR, WE BELIEVE IT'S
- 6 HEARSAY.
- 7 THE COURT: OVERRULED. THAT WILL BE ADMITTED INTO
- 8 EVIDENCE.
- 9 BY MR. SCHWARTZ:
- 10 Q. NOW, I WANT TO CONTRAST WHAT MR. DUTREIL'S FIRM SAYS
- 11 SHOULD BE DONE FOR SATELLITE HOME VIEWER ACT TESTING WITH
- 12 WHAT THE PEOPLE YOU SUPERVISED DID IN THIS CASE.
- DU TREIL SAYS GO IN THE DRIVEWAY AND RAISE THE
- 14 MAST OF THE ANTENNA TO FIVE FEET ABOVE THE ROOF HEIGHT,
- 15 RIGHT? WE COVERED THAT?
- 16 A. YES, SIR.
- 17 Q. ALL RIGHT. YOUR PEOPLE DID SOMETHING ELSE, CORRECT?
- 18 A. YES.
- 19 Q. WHAT THEY DID WAS THEY TRIED TO FIND THE HOUSE, FIRST
- 20 OF ALL, RIGHT?
- 21 A. THEY FOUND THE HOUSE.
- 22 Q. DID THEY FIND ALL THE HOUSES, BY THE WAY?
- 23 A. YES, THEY DID, AS A MATTER OF FACT.
- 24 Q. ARE YOU SURE?
- 25 A. I'M QUITE POSITIVE.